

**SENATE CONCURRENT
RESOLUTION No. _____**

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION memorializing Carlyle "Cy"
Gerde.

HERSHMAN, ALTING

_____, read first time and referred to Committee on



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A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION memorializing Carlyle "Cy" Gerde.

Whereas, Carlyle "Cy" Gerde passed away on September 29, 2009, at the age of 62;

Whereas, Gerde graduated from Purdue University with a bachelor of arts degree. He earned his law degree from Indiana University;

Whereas, Gerde was a partner in the Hanna Gerde & Russell law firm where he specialized in government law. He served as counsel to 20 units of government and represented over 200 cities, counties, school boards, towns, and townships in the state of Indiana;

Whereas, Gerde participated in three White House Conferences – the White House Conference on Rural Policy, the White House Conference on Block Grants, and the White House Conference on Liability Insurance;

Whereas, Gerde was best known for his expertise in government law, but he was also very involved within his community. He was associated with numerous organizations, including: Purdue University President's Council, R.B. Stewart Society of Purdue, Red Mackey Society, Groben Society, John Purdue Club, The Nature Conservancy, Lynn



Society of the Indianapolis Symphony, Tippecanoe County Historical Association, Associated Clubs of America, Omicron Delta Kappa, Purdue Iron Key, and the Long Center Theater Organ Society;

Whereas, Gerde was twice named one of Indiana's Super Lawyers by Indianapolis Monthly magazine and he was honored with Purdue's Distinguished Pinnacle Award; and

Whereas, Carlyle "Cy" Gerde's experience and contributions to the state of Indiana will be greatly missed: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, the House of Representatives concurring:

- 1 SECTION 1. The Indiana General Assembly memorializes
- 2 Carlyle "Cy" Gerde.
- 3 SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to
- 4 transmit a copy of this Resolution to Carlyle "Cy" Gerde's wife, Pris.

